



HEARINGS CONDUCTED BY THE
MICHIGAN LIQUOR CONTROL COMMISSION

Held: Thursday, March 21, 2013
Southfield District Office
25680 W 8 Mile Road
Southfield MI 48033

Present: Andrew J. Deloney, Chairman
Teri L. Quimby, Commissioner
Dennis Olshove, Commissioner

Absent: None

Chairman Deloney called the hearings to order at 10:07 a.m., noting a quorum was present.

1. Moved by Commissioner Olshove, supported by Commissioner Quimby, that the minutes of the Southfield Appeal Hearing of March 14, 2013, be approved as written and presented, motion carried by unanimous vote.
2. Dearborn Pantheon LLC, 12900 Michigan, Dearborn, Wayne County
Request ID# 669277

The licensing hearing was conducted for Dearborn Pantheon LLC, Request ID# 669277, which was tabled from February 7, 2013. Rosendo Asevedo appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Frank Palazzolo and Melissa Hashem, member appeared on behalf of applicant. Also present were Attorney Alex Lyzohub, attorney for current licensed member, Mr. Manolakas, and Corporal Andrea Danak, Dearborn Police Department (also representing the Dearborn City). Mr. Asevedo, Mr. Palazzolo, Ms. Hashem, Mr. Lyzohub and Corporal Danak offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to affirm the previous Commission Order of denial dated December 19, 2012, and deny the request as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order, to transfer ownership of 2012 Class C license with Sunday Sales Permit (P.M.), Entertainment Permit, one (1) Direct Connection to unlicensed premises, Topless Activity Permit, and two (2) Bars from Ross Enterprises, Inc. Commissioner Quimby supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

3. Famous Door II, Inc., 1416-1422 Griswold, Detroit, Wayne County
Request ID# 569777

The licensing hearing was conducted for Famous Door II, Inc., Request ID# 569777, which was tabled on October 25, 2012. Rosendo Asevedo appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Gus Abro, co-counsel, Attorney Lawrence Bryant Shulman and Brian S. Hanna, stockholder, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Asevedo, Mr. Abro and Mr. Shulman offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of denial dated August 29, 2012 and approve the request as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order, to transfer stock in 2012 Class C license with Sunday Sales Permit (P.M.), Dance-Entertainment Permit, Topless Activity Permit, Specific Purpose Permit (Food) and three (3) Bars. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

4. Ellis Sloan Inc., d/b/a US 12 American Bar & Grill, 34816-34824 Michigan, Wayne., Wayne County Complaint Nos. 2-154811, 2-154811 and 2-154660

The appeal hearing in the violation matter was conducted for Ellis Sloan Inc., Complaint Nos. 2-154811, 2-154661 and 2-154660. Rosendo Asevedo appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office and John Goci, President, appeared on behalf of the licensee. Mr. Asevedo and Mr. Goci offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse in part and remove the cash only proviso from the Violation Hearing Order of Administrative Law Judge Robert H. Mourning, dated January 15, 2013, as set forth in the Violation Appeal Order. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

5. Shores Canteen, Inc., 30631 E. Jefferson, Saint Clair Shores, Macomb County Request ID# 672327

The licensing hearing was conducted for Shores Canteen, Inc., Request ID# 672327. Rosendo Asevedo appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Joseph Shallal, and Basam M. Gewarges, President, appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Asevedo, Mr. Shallal and Mr. Gewarges offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney made a motion to reverse the previous Commission Order of denial dated February 6, 2013 and approve the request as set forth in the Licensing Appeal Order, to transfer ownership of 2012 Specially Designated Distributor and Specially Designated Merchant licenses with Sunday Sales Permit (A.M. and P.M.) from Kasmarogi Enterprises, Inc. Commissioner Olshove supported, and the motion was carried by unanimous vote.

6. Rosas Mexican Food Inc., 14541 W. Eight Mile, Detroit, Wayne County
Request ID# 655395

The licensing hearing was conducted for Rosas Mexican Food Inc., Request ID# 655395. Rosendo Asevedo appeared on behalf of the Attorney Generals Office, Attorney Peter Abbo, and Attorney Timothy Murphy appeared on behalf of the applicant. Mr. Asevedo, Mr. Abbo and Mr. Murphy offered comments regarding this case. After discussion on the record, Chairman Deloney advised this matter would be tabled for a hearing on a future date.

With no further business, moved by Commissioner Olshove, supported by Commissioner Quimby that the Appeal Hearings be adjourned at 1:03 p.m., motion carried by unanimous vote.

Celine Marley Rutkowski
Commission Secretary

Andrew J. Deloney
Chairman